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EXPORT AND IMPORT MERCHANDISE TRADE

The Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, announced today a seasonally adjusted November 1968 export total of $2,989.3 million, excluding Department of Defense (DOD) Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid shipments, and a seasonally adjusted general import total for November of $2,818.3 million.[1] [2] Comparable figures for October were $2,594.2 million for exports and $2,657.4 million for imports. The seasonally adjusted November export total is the second highest total on record and is exceeded only by the all time high of $3,245.9 million reported in September of this year. November is the fourth month during 1968 that general imports on a seasonally adjusted basis have exceeded $2,800.0 million. The Bureau noted, however, that the general import monthly average for the year (January-November) on a seasonally adjusted basis is about $2,726.0 million.

For the first 11 months of 1968, exports on a seasonally adjusted basis were at an annual rate of $33,740 million (about 9 percent higher than the calendar year 1967 total of $30,934 million) while imports were at an annual rate of $32,712 million (about 22 percent higher than the calendar year 1967 total of $26,812 million). For the 4-month period, August-November 1968, seasonally adjusted exports averaged $2,936.3 million per month, a level about 5 percent higher than the $2,792.6 million average reported for the preceding 4-month period April-July 1968. Imports averaged $2,816.7 million for the current 4-month period, a level about 3 percent higher than the $2,724.0 million average reported for the preceding 4-month period.

Seasonally adjusted export and import totals for selected Schedule A and B commodity sections and selected divisions are shown in tables 4 and 5. (Unlike the overall total, the commodity components for exports exclude foreign merchandise and include Department of Defense (DOD) Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid shipments.)

Exports unadjusted and excluding Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid shipments increased from $2,714.9 million in October to $3,124.4 million in November. With Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid shipments included, November exports were valued at $3,184.3 million or about 15 percent higher than the October total of $2,763.4 million. Unadjusted general imports amounted to $2,795.1 million in November compared to $2,924.1 million in October.

[1] *Adjusted for seasonal and working-day variation, but not for price level.*

[2] *Cumulations of data over at least 3- or 4-month periods are desirable to identify underlying trends. Month-to-month changes in exports, imports, and similar series often reflect primarily irregular movements. Recent month-to-month percent changes in the overall seasonally adjusted export and import series are presented in the following table with average percent month-to-month rise and decline over longer periods shown for comparison. (Excludes percentage changes for the period December 1962-March 1963 and December 1964-May 1965 because of abnormalities in the data due to effects of strikes.)*

Series	Month-to-month				Average monthly rates of change			
	Oct.-Nov. 1968	Sept.-Oct. 1968	Aug.-Sept. 1968	July-Aug. 1968	Average rise 1962-1967	Average decline 1962-1967	4 months July-Nov. 1968	12 months Nov. 1967-Nov. 1968
Exports.....	+15.2%	-20.1%	+11.3%	+4.0%	+4.2%	-3.3%	+2.6%	+1.4%
Imports.....	+6.1%	-10.3%	+4.8%	+6.1%	+3.1%	-2.6%	+1.7%	+1.5%

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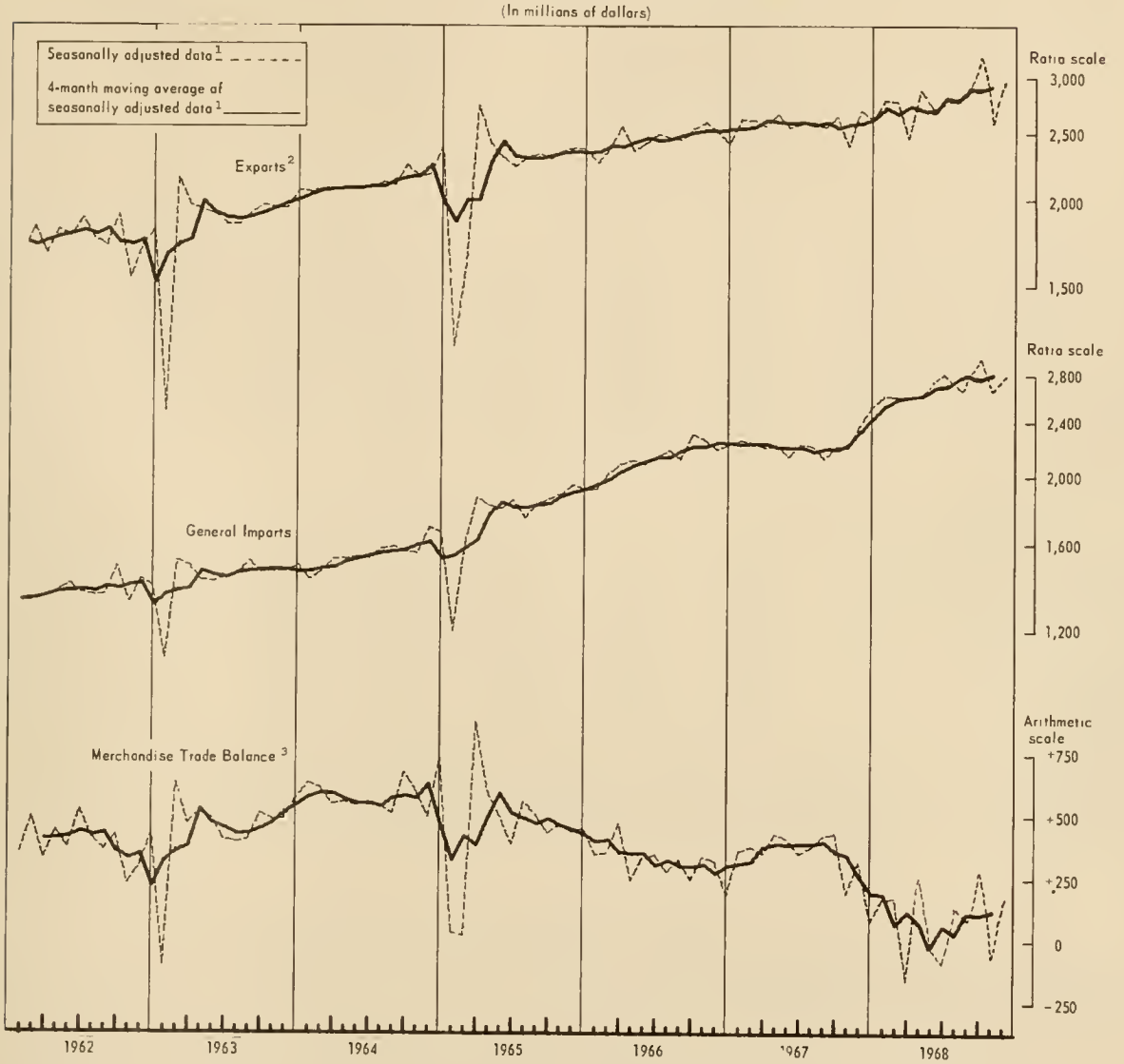
EXPLANATION OF STATISTICS

The dollar value shown in the import statistics is defined generally as the market value in the foreign country excluding U.S. import duties, freight charges from the foreign country to the United States, and insurance. General imports are commodities imported for immediate consumption plus entries into bonded warehouses. Imports for consumption are commodities imported for immediate consumption plus withdrawals for consumption from bonded warehouses. The dollar value shown in the export statistics is defined generally as the f.a.s. value, U.S. port of exportation. None of the values have been adjusted for changes in price level. Additional information regarding coverage, valuation, etc., is available in Report FT 990, Highlights of U.S. Export and Import Trade; in the brochure, Guide to Foreign Trade Statistics: 1968; or upon request to the Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233. Information regarding the methodology used in seasonally adjusting the data is available on request to the Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

U.S. Exports, General Imports, and Merchandise Trade Balance, Adjusted For Seasonal and Working-Day Variation: January 1962 to November 1968

(In millions of dollars)



[1]Abnormal fluctuations in the data for December 1962-March 1963, December 1964-May 1965, and March 1968 are due to effects of dock strikes. [2]Represents exports of domestic and foreign merchandise excluding Department of Defense (DOD) Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid shipments. [3]Defined as exports (see footnote 2, above) minus general imports.

Table 1. U.S. Exports, General Imports, and Merchandise Trade Balance, Adjusted for Seasonal and Working-Day Variation, by Month: January 1967 to November 1968

(In millions of dollars)

Period and series	January-November	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
1967													
Exports[1]	28,404.0	2,616.7	2,604.7	2,548.5	2,653.1	2,546.6	2,577.1	2,584.6	2,549.1	2,638.3	2,393.9	2,691.4	2,603.4
Imports	24,396.6	2,255.5	2,229.2	2,199.5	2,226.0	2,137.1	2,227.1	2,208.5	2,125.3	2,208.5	2,198.1	2,381.8	2,525.0
Merchandise trade balance[2]	+4,007.4	+361.2	+375.5	+349.0	+427.1	+409.5	+350.0	+376.1	+423.8	+429.8	+195.8	+309.6	+78.4
1968													
Exports[1]	30,928.2	2,784.7	2,773.1	2,454.7	2,888.5	2,719.7	2,759.3	2,803.0	2,915.8	3,245.9	2,594.2	2,989.3	
Imports	29,986.1	[3]2,609.0	2,601.9	2,612.4	2,640.5	2,751.9	[4]2,839.3	2,664.4	2,827.3	2,963.7	2,657.4	2,818.3	
Merchandise trade balance[2]	+942.1	[3]+175.7	+171.2	-157.7	+248.0	-32.2	[4]-80.0	+138.6	+88.5	+282.2	-63.2	+171.0	

[1]Figures represent exports of domestic and foreign merchandise excluding Department of Defense Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid shipments.
[2]Defined as exports (see footnote 1, above) minus general imports.
[3]Revised subsequent to the release of the April issue of this report.
[4]Revised subsequent to the release of the June issue of this report.

Table 2. U.S. Exports of Merchandise Showing Department of Defense (DOD) Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid Shipments, by Month: January 1967 to November 1968

(In millions of dollars. Figures for 1967 reflect revisions made in the data subsequent to the publication of the December 1967 reports. Figures for 1968 are as originally compiled. Unadjusted totals represent sum of unrounded figures hence may vary slightly from sum of rounded amounts)

Period	Exports excluding DOD Grant-Aid			Exports including DOD Grant-Aid		DOD Grant-Aid[2]		
	Domestic and foreign, seasonally adjusted[1]	Domestic and foreign, unadjusted	Domestic, unadjusted	Domestic and foreign, unadjusted	Domestic, unadjusted	Total	Western Europe	Other countries
1967								
January-December	31,007.4	30,934.4	30,550.2	31,526.2	31,142.1	591.9	207.9	384.0
January-November	28,434.0	28,122.0	27,768.7	28,654.7	28,301.4	532.7	188.9	343.8
January	2,616.7	2,470.6	2,437.7	2,526.1	2,493.2	55.5	24.5	30.9
February	2,604.7	2,415.5	2,387.0	2,466.9	2,438.5	51.4	26.9	24.5
March	2,548.5	2,793.7	2,759.6	2,828.7	2,794.7	35.1	14.2	20.9
April	2,653.1	2,665.4	2,630.1	2,704.7	2,669.4	39.3	13.2	26.2
May	2,546.6	2,682.9	2,650.0	2,725.2	2,692.3	42.3	16.0	26.3
June	2,577.1	2,618.5	2,586.7	2,667.8	2,636.0	49.3	15.7	33.6
July	2,584.6	2,376.9	2,347.8	2,419.3	2,390.2	42.4	13.3	29.1
August	2,549.1	2,396.5	2,358.6	2,487.5	2,449.5	91.0	24.6	66.4
September	2,638.3	2,500.3	2,469.9	2,545.5	2,515.0	45.1	11.7	33.4
October	2,393.9	2,441.7	2,412.5	2,486.9	2,457.7	45.2	14.5	30.7
November	2,691.4	2,760.0	2,728.7	2,796.1	2,764.9	36.2	14.4	21.8
December	2,603.4	2,812.3	2,781.5	2,871.5	2,840.7	59.1	19.0	40.2
1968								
January-November	30,928.2	30,757.9	30,366.4	31,281.9	30,890.4	524.0	185.3	338.6
January	2,784.7	2,674.0	2,645.1	2,726.8	2,697.9	52.8	23.3	29.5
February	2,773.1	2,666.7	2,635.8	2,726.0	2,695.1	59.3	20.2	39.1
March	2,454.7	2,639.1	2,600.9	2,673.8	2,635.5	34.7	13.3	21.4
April	2,888.5	2,944.2	2,908.2	2,983.4	2,947.4	39.2	11.1	28.1
May	2,719.7	2,944.4	2,907.2	2,968.1	2,930.9	23.8	5.1	18.6
June	2,759.3	2,681.5	2,647.5	2,731.2	2,697.2	49.7	11.9	37.8
July	2,803.0	2,640.5	2,605.4	2,699.5	2,664.4	59.1	23.5	35.6
August	2,915.8	2,786.3	2,748.9	2,840.5	2,802.6	53.7	19.1	34.6
September	3,245.9	2,941.5	2,907.6	2,984.7	2,950.9	43.2	22.6	20.6
October	2,594.2	2,714.9	2,669.3	2,763.4	2,717.9	48.5	21.4	27.1
November	2,989.3	3,124.4	3,090.6	3,184.3	3,150.5	59.9	13.7	46.2
December								

[1]Data shown reflect adjustments for seasonal and working-day variation and do not necessarily add to annual unadjusted totals. The 1967 seasonally adjusted figures reflect revisions made in the seasonal adjustment factors effective December 1967.

[2]Data differs from those released in Department of Defense reports because of a difference in statistical definitions. For a further explanation, see footnote 1, table E-1, Report FT 990, Highlights of U.S. Export and Import Trade.

Table 3. U.S. Imports of Merchandise, by Month: January 1967 to November 1968

(In millions of dollars. Figures for 1967 reflect revisions made in the data subsequent to the publication of the December 1967 reports. Figures for 1968 are as originally compiled except as noted in footnotes 2 and 3 below. Unadjusted totals represent sum of unrounded figures hence may vary slightly from sum of rounded amounts)

Period	1967			1968		
	General imports		Imports for consumption, unadjusted	General imports		Imports for consumption, unadjusted
	Seasonally adjusted[1]	Unadjusted		Seasonally adjusted[1]	Unadjusted	
January-December	26,921.6	26,812.3	26,733.2			
January-November	24,396.6	24,380.9	24,339.3	29,486.1	30,393.2	30,001.9
January	2,255.5	2,261.4	2,264.1	[2]2,439.0	[2]2,428.5	[2]2,689.1
February	2,229.2	2,003.7	1,992.4	2,[illegible]1.9	2,448.1	2,437.7
March	2,199.5	2,351.1	2,318.7	2,[illegible]12.4	2,558.2	2,526.9
April	2,226.0	2,090.3	2,070.3	2,[illegible]8.5	2,[illegible]5.3	2,[illegible]7.5
May	2,137.1	2,219.1	2,216.3	2,[illegible]1.9	2,814.6	2,800.6
June	2,227.1	2,269.6	2,255.3	[3]2,839.3	[3]2,648.8	[3]2,730.0
July	2,208.5	2,127.4	2,116.9	2,[illegible]4.4	2,812.0	2,[illegible]1.3
August	2,125.3	2,165.7	2,182.1	2,[illegible]0.3	2,[illegible]9.1	2,669.2
September	2,[illegible]8.5	2,111.8	2,121.7	2,[illegible]3.7	2,869.3	2,836.6
October	2,196.1	2,338.5	2,354.6	2,[illegible]7.4	2,824.1	2,926.7
November	2,381.8	2,[illegible]2.7	2,[illegible]7.7	2,[illegible]8.1	2,795.1	2,816.3
December	2,525.0	2,431.4	2,393.9			

[1]Data shown reflect adjustments for seasonal and working-day variation and do not necessarily add to annual unadjusted totals. The 1967 seasonally adjusted figures reflect revisions made in the seasonal adjustment factors effective December 1967.

[2]Revised subsequent to the release of the April issue of this report.

[3]Revised subsequent to the release of the June issue of this report.

Table 4. U.S. Exports of Domestic Merchandise--Schedule B Sections and Selected Divisions, Including Department of Defense (DOD) Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid Shipments, Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted, by Month: January 1967 to November 1968

(In millions of dollars. Figures for 1967 reflect revisions made in the data subsequent to the publication of the December 1967 reports. Figures for 1968 are as originally compiled. Unadjusted totals represent sum of unrounded figures hence may vary slightly from sum of rounded amounts)

Period	Schedule B sections and selected divisions[1]												
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7[2]	71	72	73	8	9
	Seasonally adjusted[3]												
1967													
January-December	4,070.8	657.4	3,294.8	1,105.7	(4)	2,813.9	3,402.8	12,607.7	5,971.4	2,105.9	4,524.3	1,992.6	(4)
January-November	3,715.5	602.2	3,054.3	1,021.8	(4)	2,571.9	3,124.8	11,440.0	5,446.2	1,929.6	4,074.3	1,827.2	(4)
January	362.8	55.8	282.7	85.2	(4)	265.3	312.1	1,118.0	532.2	174.4	402.2	172.7	(4)
February	335.0	55.9	285.3	99.3	(4)	233.3	308.9	999.3	508.6	178.4	346.2	165.9	(4)
March	326.6	56.5	273.9	81.3	(4)	216.0	287.5	1,011.1	479.2	169.9	358.2	156.1	(4)
April	325.8	68.2	273.5	87.0	(4)	235.5	294.0	1,034.9	512.1	180.2	347.5	169.8	(4)
May	322.3	63.5	286.1	91.3	(4)	231.6	275.8	1,025.4	490.8	167.2	364.7	162.0	(4)
June	335.5	54.6	277.1	81.1	(4)	233.0	289.4	1,045.0	481.9	180.5	378.4	159.1	(4)
July	346.1	47.7	268.0	114.8	(4)	222.3	281.4	1,042.2	492.2	179.4	368.6	168.8	(4)
August	327.7	51.2	281.2	106.5	(4)	227.9	270.4	1,018.2	486.2	182.7	350.9	169.5	(4)
September	327.5	51.3	279.4	96.1	(4)	233.3	275.3	1,081.3	498.4	175.0	416.9	166.5	(4)
October	318.9	48.1	271.1	83.4	(4)	224.0	254.4	977.6	453.7	168.2	342.5	161.2	(4)
November	387.3	49.4	276.0	95.8	(4)	249.7	275.6	1,087.0	510.9	173.7	398.2	175.6	(4)
December	355.3	55.2	240.5	83.9	(4)	242.0	278.0	1,167.7	525.2	176.3	450.0	165.4	(4)
1968													
January-November	3,517.5	649.5	3,225.8	956.9	(4)	3,007.0	3,410.7	13,212.1	5,808.1	2,103.8	5,324.8	1,978.3	(4)
January	378.8	61.3	286.7	93.1	(4)	271.5	276.3	1,270.3	528.0	188.5	546.2	184.5	(4)
February	372.9	70.5	285.1	82.8	(4)	249.1	276.3	1,172.3	521.5	179.7	514.1	170.7	(4)
March	329.4	44.5	300.7	85.6	(4)	234.2	238.5	959.2	433.9	164.0	357.8	151.9	(4)
April	329.2	52.3	320.4	91.2	(4)	289.8	297.8	1,167.7	545.0	191.8	433.9	180.6	(4)
May	297.1	59.5	283.9	88.8	(4)	259.7	298.0	1,145.6	490.4	180.1	479.6	174.3	(4)
June	299.2	69.0	256.0	77.7	(4)	264.3	311.5	1,187.6	523.0	198.0	460.9	173.3	(4)
July	310.6	55.9	301.8	91.5	(4)	274.1	319.5	1,204.3	522.1	192.6	494.3	178.8	(4)
August	331.0	73.0	306.5	88.9	(4)	293.5	330.5	1,238.3	565.3	210.1	464.7	199.1	(4)
September	297.1	68.6	341.7	98.4	(4)	348.0	407.6	1,332.0	605.0	214.9	523.9	189.9	(4)
October	260.0	38.1	255.1	68.4	(4)	248.9	303.5	1,166.9	494.9	191.9	464.4	180.1	(4)
November	312.2	56.8	287.9	90.5	(4)	273.9	351.2	1,367.9	579.0	192.2	585.0	195.1	(4)
December													
	Unadjusted												
1967													
January-December	4,060.9	648.7	3,279.7	1,104.1	338.0	2,801.6	3,391.1	12,574.1	5,952.5	2,098.2	4,523.5	1,985.4	958.8
January-November	3,709.6	575.0	3,002.7	1,028.2	318.2	2,559.0	3,113.4	11,332.9	5,423.1	1,910.2	3,999.7	1,813.2	849.2
January	332.8	39.6	276.8	68.9	21.4	227.2	290.6	1,005.4	488.2	165.5	351.7	156.0	74.6
February	307.6	40.6	280.6	81.4	31.9	215.5	285.6	957.0	475.9	166.1	315.0	156.3	82.0
March	358.4	47.6	287.7	76.4	33.3	242.6	325.4	1,155.8	553.3	188.6	413.9	178.8	88.8
April	327.9	59.2	262.9	84.3	29.1	234.1	309.3	1,111.7	540.7	185.6	385.4	174.2	76.7
May	333.3	54.2	295.9	93.4	32.1	248.9	293.6	1,107.3	556.9	178.4	372.0	172.0	61.6
June	335.8	46.4	276.8	94.5	38.9	239.3	298.7	1,079.7	499.4	184.1	396.3	162.3	63.6
July	322.4	40.3	236.1	110.7	29.9	220.7	256.8	947.1	471.7	164.8	310.5	156.9	69.2
August	316.1	50.2	239.3	120.7	22.7	232.7	258.6	910.4	436.7	163.2	310.5	159.2	139.5
September	332.8	69.6	228.3	108.8	26.2	235.2	267.8	1,017.2	463.3	167.3	386.7	166.5	62.5
October	332.9	56.8	290.3	92.8	24.7	218.6	256.4	961.0	449.6	169.9	341.5	160.4	63.9
November	409.8	70.5	328.2	96.1	27.9	244.2	270.7	1,080.4	487.6	176.6	416.2	170.5	66.8
December	351.1	73.7	276.8	76.1	19.8	242.6	277.6	1,241.1	529.2	188.1	523.8	172.3	109.6
1968													
January-November	3,524.6	626.7	3,176.1	965.8	246.1	3,012.4	3,408.0	13,123.9	5,796.7	2,092.1	5,235.2	1,972.8	834.1
January	353.4	44.5	284.9	76.5	15.5	235.9	262.0	1,160.6	493.1	182.2	485.2	169.5	95.2
February	354.0	52.9	290.5	70.5	26.2	238.4	264.9	1,163.1	505.5	173.5	484.1	166.6	68.0
March	353.8	36.9	308.5	79.0	24.3	257.8	264.5	1,074.4	490.4	178.7	405.2	170.4	65.9
April	334.9	46.4	313.1	89.6	23.2	292.5	319.0	1,273.8	584.4	200.8	488.6	188.2	66.6
May	313.9	52.6	302.6	93.3	20.9	287.4	326.3	1,272.5	572.4	197.4	502.7	190.2	71.2
June	287.6	55.7	245.1	87.0	29.3	260.2	307.5	1,174.8	518.4	193.4	463.0	168.9	81.0
July	297.0	48.5	271.4	90.3	20.1	278.8	298.7	1,118.6	511.9	180.8	426.0	170.2	70.8
August	326.0	73.0	264.6	102.3	20.3	304.3	320.7	1,123.0	515.6	190.3	417.1	190.5	78.0
September	289.5	88.1	266.0	106.5	25.0	334.8	379.2	1,199.4	537.8	196.4	465.2	181.8	80.5
October	278.2	45.6	280.8	78.2	21.1	249.3	313.9	1,179.4	504.3	199.5	475.6	183.5	87.8
November	336.3	82.5	348.6	92.4	20.1	272.8	351.2	1,384.4	562.7	199.0	622.6	192.9	69.3
December													

[1]Schedule B section and selected division descriptions are as follows:

0. Food and live animals
1. Beverages and tobacco
2. Crude materials, inedible, except fuels
3. Mineral fuels, lubricants, and related materials
4. Animal and vegetable oils and fats
5. Chemicals
6. Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material
7. Machinery and transport equipment
   - 71. Machinery, other than electric
   - 72. Electrical machinery, apparatus, and appliances
   - 73. Transport equipment
8. Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.c.
9. Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind

[2]Seasonally adjusted figures for section 7 may differ slightly from the sum of divisions 71, 72, and 73 since each is independently adjusted.

[3]Data shown reflect adjustments for seasonal and working-day variation and do not necessarily add to annual unadjusted totals. The adjusted section totals in this table and the adjusted overall monthly totals in tables 1 and 2 were developed independently. The figures in this table include DOD Grant-Aid shipments which are excluded from the adjusted overall monthly totals in tables 1 and 2.

[4]For technical reasons data are not presented for this section.

Table 5. U.S. General Imports of Merchandise--Schedule A Sections, Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted, by Month: January 1967 to November 1968

(In millions of dollars. Figures for 1967 reflect revisions made in the data subsequent to the publication of the December 1967 reports. Figures for 1968 are as originally compiled, except as noted in footnotes 4 and 5 below. Unadjusted totals represent sum of unrounded figures hence may vary slightly from sum of rounded amounts)

Period	Schedule A sections[1]									
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Seasonally adjusted[2]									
1967										
January-December	4,034.5	699.4	2,974.5	2,256.4	([3])	963.3	6,411.7	5,816.8	2,582.7	([3])
January-November	3,690.2	629.0	2,714.9	2,060.8	([3])	877.2	5,828.2	5,292.7	2,354.6	([3])
January	392.4	64.3	268.9	199.8	([3])	85.6	553.7	478.3	210.9	([3])
February	350.2	56.2	247.9	194.6	([3])	82.3	545.9	466.0	213.8	([3])
March	326.0	55.3	245.4	187.7	([3])	76.4	517.7	450.7	206.5	([3])
April	336.8	54.7	238.9	201.2	([3])	79.6	513.6	454.6	201.5	([3])
May	289.7	54.5	234.0	198.7	([3])	77.4	504.9	469.6	208.9	([3])
June	335.2	59.6	250.0	180.5	([3])	76.8	499.2	496.4	214.3	([3])
July	350.8	56.7	233.3	179.0	([3])	82.8	497.9	505.9	219.9	([3])
August	352.1	52.8	249.3	155.5	([3])	81.2	507.4	485.1	219.2	([3])
September	318.4	58.0	244.3	189.3	([3])	75.1	554.8	480.3	212.2	([3])
October	309.5	57.0	242.1	189.1	([3])	72.9	531.6	491.5	212.9	([3])
November	329.1	59.9	260.8	185.4	([3])	87.1	601.5	514.3	234.5	([3])
December	344.3	70.4	259.6	195.6	([3])	86.1	583.5	524.1	228.1	([3])
1968										
January-November	4,221.4	748.0	3,004.7	2,322.5	([3])	1,038.2	7,412.6	7,267.5	3,022.4	([3])
January	388.0	76.1	258.3	200.4	([3])	91.0	694.0	634.9	258.6	([3])
February	378.9	69.3	254.0	203.4	([3])	85.4	672.5	600.3	245.3	([3])
March	321.8	58.8	271.4	212.5	([3])	90.3	730.5	533.6	259.5	([3])
April	370.5	48.3	246.6	180.9	([3])	89.2	715.9	590.3	252.1	([3])
May	392.9	55.0	281.1	187.9	([3])	97.1	669.0	657.2	284.1	([3])
June	383.4	60.1	279.2	227.0	([3])	91.3	669.2	697.7	284.8	([3])
July	393.6	73.7	272.6	225.8	([3])	101.8	602.8	618.1	284.3	([3])
August	451.7	112.4	274.3	193.1	([3])	106.0	738.4	668.6	293.4	([3])
September	414.9	88.3	311.0	242.9	([3])	102.2	679.6	760.8	289.3	([3])
October	317.3	53.2	275.0	222.1	([3])	85.4	610.4	740.7	280.8	([3])
November	408.4	52.8	281.2	226.5	([3])	98.5	630.3	765.3	290.2	([3])
December										
	Unadjusted									
1967										
January-December	4,003.1	698.1	2,964.3	2,248.0	122.1	957.9	6,384.2	5,793.5	2,576.2	1,064.9
January-November	3,646.1	616.4	2,710.3	2,035.1	110.7	876.0	5,813.9	5,230.9	2,359.6	981.9
January	355.4	60.0	254.0	226.9	14.2	82.4	521.8	484.4	192.9	69.4
February	314.1	49.9	210.7	186.7	14.8	79.8	472.1	434.7	177.4	63.5
March	369.0	63.6	254.3	212.1	11.3	89.4	532.2	532.8	205.8	80.6
April	322.6	62.4	226.4	193.8	8.0	83.0	490.9	430.4	177.2	96.3
May	296.2	55.5	250.7	191.7	8.2	84.3	551.7	497.1	196.0	87.6
June	337.2	51.4	274.4	176.5	6.2	75.8	527.8	515.8	214.5	89.9
July	327.6	38.3	224.5	165.3	7.2	70.6	493.2	473.5	235.1	92.2
August	331.7	39.9	275.9	158.6	9.1	81.5	513.8	418.5	248.1	88.5
September	310.3	51.8	234.3	169.9	8.9	69.1	536.4	413.1	226.0	92.1
October	347.0	69.8	248.9	185.7	10.2	73.0	546.0	505.3	238.9	113.8
November	335.0	73.8	256.3	167.8	12.5	87.2	628.0	525.2	247.7	108.2
December	357.0	81.7	254.0	212.8	11.4	81.9	570.3	562.6	216.6	83.0
1968										
January-November	4,180.7	708.8	3,008.5	2,294.6	141.6	1,038.8	7,411.9	7,177.9	3,045.6	1,084.8
January	366.5	74.2	254.7	237.5	13.8	91.5	681.5	671.4	247.3	[4]90.1
February	356.9	64.2	225.3	204.1	14.7	86.8	610.0	586.2	213.5	86.3
March	333.4	61.8	257.2	220.3	9.2	96.9	686.6	577.4	236.9	78.5
April	393.8	61.5	260.3	193.9	11.3	103.0	760.2	617.8	246.6	106.8
May	396.1	55.1	296.3	178.0	13.4	104.0	719.3	686.0	262.9	103.3
June	353.8	47.6	280.8	202.8	15.4	82.2	647.1	665.0	261.2	[5]93.0
July	403.3	54.4	286.5	228.5	17.4	95.2	654.2	630.6	332.5	109.4
August	403.1	80.8	288.9	187.1	8.5	101.3	708.7	547.6	315.5	97.7
September	408.9	80.1	302.0	220.7	14.8	95.2	666.5	663.3	312.2	105.7
October	368.2	67.2	292.1	226.6	12.7	88.6	648.5	788.4	325.3	106.4
November	396.8	61.8	264.3	195.0	10.3	94.0	629.3	744.3	291.7	107.4
December										

[1]Schedule A section descriptions are as follows:

0. Food and live animals
1. Beverages and tobacco
2. Crude materials, inedible, except fuels
3. Mineral fuels, lubricants, and related materials
4. Animal and vegetable oils and fats
5. Chemicals
6. Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material
7. Machinery and transport equipment
8. Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.
9. Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind

[2]Data shown reflect adjustments for seasonal and working-day variation and do not necessarily add to annual unadjusted totals. The adjusted section totals in this table and the adjusted overall monthly totals in tables 1 and 3 were developed independently.

[3]For technical reasons, data are not presented for this section.

[4]Revised subsequent to the release of the April issue of this report.

[5]Revised subsequent to the release of the June issue of this report.

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